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Docket No.: WOW-002XX

Sir:

In re application of: Robert A. Beck et al

Entitled: 2, 4-HEXADIENOIC ACID, ITS ALKALI SALTS AND/OR DERIVATIVES  
FOR PREVENTING OXIDATIVE CORROSION OF METALS

Transmitted herewith is a preliminary amendment in the above-identified application. The following checked items are applicable:

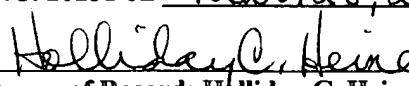
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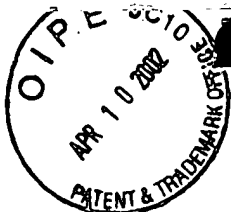
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Preliminarily, please amend the above-identified patent  
application as follows. A marked-up version of the amendments is  
enclosed herewith for the Examiner's convenience.

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